IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PATENT

the Application of:

O'REGAN ET AL.

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EXAMINER: LOUIE, W.

FOR: LONG LIFETIME POLYMER LIGHT-

EMITTING DEVICES WITH IMPROVED LUMINOUS EFFICIENCY AND IMPROVED

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

(Amended) A light-emitting device comprising:

an anode comprising a semi-transparent layer having a high reflectivity and a high work function, wherein the semitransparent layer has a reflectivity of at least 86%; and

a cathode comprising at least one first cathode layer of a low work function material selected from metal, metal oxide and combinations thereof, and at least one second cathode layer having a high reflectivity and a high work function,

wherein said device is а metal etalon microcavity structure.

Please cancel Claim 11.

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REMARKS

Examiner Louie for the telephone Applicants thank conference with the undersigned attorney on July 31, during which the Examiner confirmed that: (1) response filed on February 25, 2002 overcame the rejections in the Office Action dated October 3, 2001, and (2) the reference

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